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Cedar City, Utah –Today, at 2:18 p.m., the Leeds Fire was reported to the Cedar City Interagency Dispatch Center. The fire is near the community of Leeds, Utah and is visible from Interstate-15.

Currently the fire is approximately 60 acres and is burning in pinion, juniper, sage and grass fuels. Forward movement of this fire has stopped. Firefighters are now focused on containment of this fire. *The fire has reached 30% containment.* Cause is unknown.

Presently, no structures or homes are threatened. I-15 was closed for a period of time, earlier this afternoon.

Fire crews are aggressively fighting the fire with firefighters and fire engines and air resources.

Currently, on scene are 13 engines, and 3 hand crews. Air resources have been released for the evening.

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